

**Amendments to the Claims:**

This listing of claims will replace all prior versions, and listings, of claims in the application:

**Listing of Claims:**

Claims 1-43 (canceled)

44. (original) A micronized *rac*-bicalutamide, wherein the micronized *rac*-bicalutamide has a mean particle diameter of less than about 200  $\mu\text{m}$ .
45. (original) A micronized *rac*-bicalutamide, wherein the micronized *rac*-bicalutamide has a mean particle diameter of less than about 100  $\mu\text{m}$ .
46. (original) A micronized *rac*-bicalutamide, wherein the micronized *rac*-bicalutamide has a mean particle diameter of less than 10  $\mu\text{m}$ .
47. (original) A micronized *rac*-bicalutamide, wherein the micronized *rac*-bicalutamide has a mean particle diameter between about 200  $\mu\text{m}$  to about 10  $\mu\text{m}$ .
48. (original) A pharmaceutical composition of *rac*-bicalutamide comprising a micronized *rac*-bicalutamide and a pharmaceutically acceptable salt.
49. (original) The pharmaceutical composition of *rac*-bicalutamide wherein the micronized *rac*-bicalutamide has a mean particle diameter between about 200  $\mu\text{m}$  to about 10  $\mu\text{m}$ .